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LOADER BOOM INCLUDING A SWIVEL MAST

Moline, IL 61265

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Amendment after Final Rejection

Sir:

Responsive to the Final Rejection dated 04/28/2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.